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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Applicant requests the Examiner to enter the following Preliminary Amendment. A clean version of the amended paragraphs and claims is shown below. A marked-up version is shown in Appendix A.

IN THE SPECIFICATIONS:

Please amend the following paragraphs as indicated.

[0009] Fig. 3 shows an embodiment of the invention having two integrated circuits connected to each other and to an underlying substrate through multiple insulated bond wires.